



CEEF6211 Teaching Practicum (Mentoring)

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Mission Statement

The mission of New Orleans Baptist Theological Seminary is to equip leaders to fulfill the Great Commission and the Great Commandments through the local church and its ministries.

Core Value Focus

The seminary has five core values: Doctrinal Integrity, Spiritual Vitality, Mission Focus, Characteristic Excellence, and Servant Leadership. The core value focus for this academic year is *Characteristic Excellence*: What we do, we do to the utmost of our abilities and resources as a testimony to the glory of our Lord and Savior Jesus Christ.

Curriculum Competencies

All graduates of NOBTS are expected to have at least a minimum level of competency in each of the following areas: Biblical Exposition, Christian Theological Heritage, Disciple Making, Interpersonal Skills, Servant Leadership, Spiritual and Character Formation, and Worship Leadership. The curriculum competencies addressed in this course are: Biblical Exposition, Disciple Making, Interpersonal Skills, and Spiritual and Character Formation.

Course Description

This course involves the development and presentation of teaching plans by the members of the class as well as the video-recording and evaluation of presentations for the purpose of critical analysis of lesson content and objectives, teacher and student learning styles, audience-appropriate methods, and the teaching-learning outcomes. Prerequisite: CEEF6310 Teaching the Bible.

Student Learning Outcomes

The student involved in this course should be able to accomplish the following:

Cognitive:

- Be able to apply your knowledge and comprehension of various teaching and learning principles with the biblical model of instruction as exemplified by Jesus Himself to provide a foundation for the practice of Christian education in the church.

Affective:

- Value the use of various methodologies to teach the Bible in the local church ministry and value the role of the Holy Spirit in planning, development, and delivery of teaching plans.

Psychomotor:

- Be able to develop, implement, and evaluate biblical teaching for the practice of Christian education in the local church.

Required Texts

Edge, Findley B. *Teaching for Results*, rev. ed. Nashville, TN: Broadman & Holman, 1999.

LeFever, Marlene D. *Creative Teaching Methods: Be an Effective Christian Teacher*. Colorado Springs, CO: David Cook, 2004.

Melick, Rick and Shera Melick. *Teaching that Transforms: Facilitating Life Change through Adult Bible Teaching*. Nashville, TN: Broadman & Holman, 2010

Richards, Lawrence O, and Gary J. Bredfeldt. *Creative Bible Teaching*. Chicago: Moody Publishers, 1998

Recommended Readings

Duvall, J. Scott and J. Daniel Hays. *Grasping God's Word: A Hands-on Approach to Reading, Interpreting, and Applying the Bible*, 2nd ed. Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan, 2005.

Fee, Gordon D. and Douglas K. Stuart. *How to Read the Bible for All Its Worth*. 3rd ed. Grand Rapids: Zondervan, 2003.

Hendricks, Howard. *Teaching to Change Lives: Seven Proven Ways to Make Your Teaching Come Alive*. Sisters, OR: Multnomah Books, 1987.

Wilkinson, Bruce. *The Seven Laws of the Learner: How to Teach Almost Anything to Practically Anyone*. Colorado Springs, CO: Multnomah Books, 1992.

Yount, William. *Called to Teach: An Introduction to the Ministry of Teaching*. Nashville, TN: Broadman & Holman, 1998.

Yount, William. *Created to Learn: A Christian Teacher's Introduction to Educational Psychology*, 2d ed. Nashville, TN: Broadman & Holman, 2010.

Units of Study

The topics of study that will be covered in the course are as follows: the teaching-learning experience, learning domains, learning objectives, teaching methods, Bible teaching, and teaching evaluation and improvement.

Teaching Method

This course is being offered in a mentored teaching format. Course content from the professor is available online each week via Blackboard. Weekly meetings with your mentor will constitute your class time.

Delivery Format

The course will be delivered in an online semester format with 14 learning units.

Assignments and Evaluation Criteria

You are expected to complete the course assignments in the three learning domains: cognitive, affective, and psychomotor.

1. Teaching Methods Handouts: (10%)

Due: February 19

You should locate and read an article or an educational website for **three** of the following teaching methods: (a) small groups, (b) class discussion, (c) games, (d) lecture, and/or (e) a *method of your choice*. You will create a **one-page handout for each of the three methods**. (You may create the handouts in **one** 3-page document)

Each handout should include:

- When using this teaching method – what is the role of the teacher, the role of the student, and what subject matter or content is “most appropriate”?
- What are the benefits of the teaching method?
- What are the limitations, dangers, and/or problems of the teaching method?
- Explain how the teaching method is used in respect to each age level (preschool, children, youth, and adults) - how to use the method, when to use the method, appropriate setting, appropriate audience, etc.

Submit the Teaching Methods Handouts using the assignment link on Blackboard for professor grading. *This assignment is related to the Cognitive Student Learning Outcome.*

2. Textbook Reading (15%)

Due: Weekly

You will read the required texts by following the weekly reading schedule. Completion of reading each week is intended to improve understanding of course content and enhance online discussion participation. You will be asked to indicate your reading percentage of the required text at the end of the term. **Textbook Reading Verification will be conducted via Blackboard at the end of the course.** *This assignment is related to the Cognitive Student Learning Outcomes.*

3. Teaching Evaluation Tool Rationale (10%)

Due: March 5

You will read and review the Teaching Evaluation Tool found on Blackboard. You will write a **2 to 3-page rationale** providing support for the content and questions of the assessment tool. Submit the Teaching Evaluation Tool Rationale to Blackboard. *This assignment is related to the Affective Student Learning Outcomes.*

4. Bible Teaching Observation and Assessment (15%)

Due March 12

You are to attend and evaluate a Bible teaching session using the Bible Teaching Assessment Tool. Use the tool to identify strengths and weaknesses of the presentation and report the findings. Address at least four of the criteria on the assessment tool. Write a **2 to 3-page reflection** of the teaching session including areas of the teaching session strengths/weaknesses and possible improvements. Submit the reflection paper to Blackboard. *This assignment is related to the Psychomotor Student Learning Outcomes.*

5. Mentor Meeting Reports (10%)

Weekly

You will engage in a mentoring relationship at a local church under the supervision of an approved mentor for a minimum of 15 hours. Mentorship hours may not include worship, Bible study, and age-group weekly meetings. You will meet with your mentor each week for a minimum of one hour to discuss personal and ministry progress in the area of church leadership and administration. You will submit a **Mentor Meeting Report** that is **completed by you and signed by your mentor**. The completed report will be submitted and uploaded through Blackboard before midnight on Sunday. This report should be a ½ page of reflection based on your mentor meeting, course content, and teaching experiences. **Final Due Date for hours completed: Due May 7**

6. Teaching Presentations & Assessment (40%)

Due March 26 and April 30

You will conduct **TWO** Bible teaching sessions during the course. The Bible teaching sessions will occur outside of the online environment and **MUST BE RECORDED**, from start to finish, including room set-up, organization of supplies, rehearsal of media technology, etc. **Your mentor must either attend the teaching session in person or view the video recording.** Your mentor must complete the Bible Teaching Assessment Tool or you to review and submit to Blackboard. Also, you must provide a copy of the Bible Teaching Assessment Tool to various participants in the Bible teaching session to complete after the teaching session has been conducted. **A minimum of 5 participants is required**, but preferably all participants have an opportunity to provide feedback. You will review the participant feedback on the assessment tool and write a **2 to 3-page reflection** of the teaching session including areas of the teaching session strengths/weaknesses and possible improvements.

**** Begin working on scheduling your teaching sessions immediately ****

Teaching Presentations & Assessment Checklist:

- ✓ Bible Teaching Presentation completed and recorded.
- ✓ Mentor and Participants completed the Bible Teaching Assessment Tool for the teaching session.
- ✓ You reviewed all the participant responses and wrote a reflection paper about strengths and weaknesses of the session and possible improvements.
- ✓ You posted video of teaching session to Discussion Board on assigned date.
- ✓ You uploaded reflection paper about the teaching session.

Each teaching presentation, participant assessment, and reflection paper counts for 20% of the course grade. The course requires you to complete **this process twice** to account for 40% of the course grade. You will be evaluated by the professor using both the Teaching Evaluation Tool and the Rubric for Grading a Summative Project found in this syllabus. *This assignment is related to the Psychomotor Student Learning Outcome.*

Note: Consider using a smartphone video camera or laptop webcam for recording your teaching sessions. You will need to create a YouTube account and upload the video.

Instructions for Uploading Video to Blackboard

The new version of Blackboard requires the following instructions to upload video
Click "Record from Webcam" button.

A new window should pop up.

Select "Browse" at the top of the new window.

Another new window will pop up and ask you to grant access to your YouTube site.

Select "Grant access."

You will now see your uploaded videos in the window.

Click "insert" on your Bible Teaching Video.

Click "Thumbnail" - Please use the thumbnail option. This option will open a new window instead of playing the video in Blackboard.

Select "Insert."

You should now see your video thumbnail in the content area.

*** Additional instructions for uploading video can be found on our Blackboard page**

NOTE: PREREQUISITE FOR TAKING THIS COURSE: CEEF6310 Teaching the Bible

Three assignments for the course CEEF6310 Teaching the Bible were (1) an exegetical paper, (2) a teaching idea & lesson aims, and (3) a teaching plan & rationale paper. **You may utilize these assignments to complete the teaching presentation assignment.**

A description of these three assignments appear below:

1. *Exegetical Paper*

You will write 5-page historical-context or exegetical paper on a passage of Scripture that you will develop into a lesson plan later in the semester. The paper should include information on the book of the Bible – its author, dating, purpose, major themes, etc. (no more than a page of the paper content) and specific explanation and implications of the selected passage. You should consult at least 5 scholarly sources outside of the required textbooks to support the content of the paper. You should use section headings in your papers and a set of sample headings appear below:

- *Bible Book Information:* Author, Dating, Purpose, Major Themes, etc.
- *Text Observations:* What does the text say? Who is the communicator? Who is the audience? What are the setting, context, and structure of the text?
- *Text Interpretation:* What was the intended meaning of the text to the original audience?
- *Biblical Principle:* What is the timeless biblical truth from the text?
- *Life Application:* How does the biblical truth of the text apply to a believer in Christ? How does the biblical truth of the text apply to a non-believer in Christ?
- *Life Transformation:* Based on the timeless biblical truth, what must a believer do or change? How should or could a non-believer respond to the biblical truth of the text?

2. *Teaching Idea and Lesson Aims*

You will submit a **one-page paper** with one teaching idea and three lesson aims (cognitive, affective, and psychomotor/behavioral) for the selected passage of Scripture researched in the exegetical paper. You may use the format of the lesson aims provided in *Creative Bible Teaching* (p.143) **or** you may use The Transformational Bible Study format provided in *Teaching that Transforms* (p.161) by completing items #7 (main point of passage), #8 (list of principles/biblical truths), & #9 (action of obedience).

3. *Teaching Plan*

With the selected Scriptural text of the exegetical paper, you will write **a detailed lesson plan** to teach in a particular ministry setting. Lesson plans should be written such that a person would be

able to teach a lesson using only the plan with no need to consult additional resources. For the purposes of this course, the lesson plan should be constructed according to the **HBLT teaching model** presented in *Creative Bible Teaching* or the **Star Model Adult Lesson Plan – Appendix E** in *Teaching that Transforms*. In addition to the detailed lesson plan, you will be required to write **a rationale** for each area of the lesson plans. These following are the minimum requirements for the lesson plan and rationale:

- The lesson plan should be written according to Table 14 in *Creative Bible Teaching* with a specific age group in mind (preschool, young children, older children, young students, older students, young adults, median adults, or senior adults).
- The rationale should be a minimum of 8 pages double spaced, 12pt font, one-inch margins, with Turabian cover sheet, page numbers, and section headings.
- The usage of at least 8 sources other than the required textbooks to support rationale paper content. Appropriate sources are scholarly journals, education texts, teaching/learning style books, curriculum design articles, etc.

Evaluation of Grade

The student's grade will be computed as follows:

Teaching Methods Handouts	10%
Textbook Reading	15%
Bible Teaching Evaluation Rationale	10%
Bible Teaching Observation and Assessment	15%
Mentor Meeting Reports	10%
Two Teaching Preparations & Two Papers	40% (each presentation & paper is 20%)

Technical Assistance

For assistance regarding technology, consult ITC (504-816-8180) or the following websites:

1. Selfserve@nobts.edu - Email for technical questions/support requests with the Selfserve.nobts.edu site (Access to online registration, financial account, online transcript, etc.)
2. BlackboardHelpDesk@nobts.edu - Email for technical questions/support requests with the NOBTS Blackboard Learning Management System NOBTS.Blackboard.com.
3. ITCSupport@nobts.edu - Email for general technical questions/support requests.
4. www.NOBTS.edu/itc/ - General NOBTS technical help information is provided on this website.

Absences

In the online/mentoring format, attendance is assessed through completed assignments for each unit: Blackboard discussion, mentor meeting reporting, and assignment submission by the due date.

Reading Assignments

Students are responsible for completing all reading assignments.

Professor's Policy on Late Assignments

Assignments are due on the date indicated in the "Assignments and Evaluation Criteria" section of the syllabus. Assignments not submitted via Blackboard by the assigned date are considered late and will incur **an initial 10-point penalty** and **accumulate a one-point penalty for each additional day**. No assignments will be accepted more than two weeks after the original due date.

If all course assignments are not received by the final unit, a grade of zero is automatically earned for the missing assignments. Assignments should **not** be e-mailed to the professor.

Professor's Availability and Assignment Feedback

The student may contact the professor at any time using the email address provided in the course syllabus. The professor will make every effort to return answers to emailed questions within a 24-hour period of time. Assignments requiring grading will be returned to the student within a reasonable period of time. Student feedback on graded assignments will be provided using the grading rubric located in the student's Blackboard Grade Book. The student will find comments in the grading rubric, as well as on graded paper assignments. The student may also email the course grader with questions regarding grading.

Style and Formatting

All assignments are to be created in Turabian format. All assignments are to be typed, double-spaced with a 12-point Times New Roman font, with 1-inch margins. Include your name, date of submission, and the assignment title on the cover page. A Turabian style guide is available in the NOBTS library and located on the NOBTS web site at <http://www.nobts.edu/resources/pdf/Extensions.Old/turabiantutor7thjan08.pdf>.

Grading Scale

Each student's final grade will be based on your total accumulation of points as indicated under the Assignments and Evaluation Criteria section of this syllabus, according to the grading scale in the NOBTS catalog.

A 100-93 B 92-85 C 84-77 D 76-70 F 69 and below

Help for Writing Papers at "The Write Stuff"

NOBTS maintains a Writing Center designed to improve English writing at the graduate level. Students can receive writing guides, tips, and valuable information to help in becoming a better writer. This is the official NOBTS Writing Center help site for writing academic papers and essays: www.nobts.edu/writing/

In addition, the website Grammarly (www.grammarly.com) will help you become a better writer. Eazypaper (www.eazypaper.com) will help you automatically format your sources. And the YMI resource page (www.youthministryinstitute.org) has several helpful links, including a video to help you create page numbers in Microsoft Word.

Plagiarism on Written Assignments

NOBTS has a no tolerance policy for plagiarism. Plagiarism in certain cases may result in expulsion from the seminary. See the NOBTS Student Handbook for definition, penalties, and policies associated with plagiarism.

Academic Policies

Academic policies relating to absences, grading scale, final examination schedules, and other topics can be found in the current graduate online catalog: http://www.nobts.edu/_resources/pdf/academics/GraduateCatalog.pdf

Policy for Graduating Seniors

Graduating seniors are responsible for alerting the professor of your intention to graduate. All of your assignments must be completed by noon (12:00pm) on the Wednesday prior to commencement exercises.

Special Needs

If you need an accommodation for any type of disability, please email me to discuss any modifications you may need.

Revision of the Syllabus

The course syllabus is not a legal contract. Any syllabus revision will be preceded by a reasonable notice to students. The standards and requirements set forth in this syllabus may be modified at any time by the professor. Notice of such changes will be by announcement in class or by email notification via Blackboard.

Withdrawal from the Course

The administration has set deadlines for withdrawal. These dates and times are published on the academic calendar. Administration procedures must be followed. You are responsible to handle withdrawal requirements. A professor cannot issue a withdrawal. You must complete the proper paperwork to ensure you will not receive a final grade of "F" in the course if you choose not to engage in the online class once you are enrolled.

Hurricane/Severe Weather Evacuation

For up-to-date weather information stay tuned to:

- WBSN FM-89.1
- WWL Channel 4
- WWL AM-870
- www.nobts.edu

Mandatory Evacuation

Hurricane season lasts from June 1 to November 30. If the Mayor of New Orleans or the President of NOBTS recommends that you leave the city, then do so. If a mandatory evacuation is called, everyone except emergency personnel must leave. Staying on campus is not an option. See the *Student Handbook* for further information regarding hurricane preparedness, evacuation, and shelter.

NOBTS Emergency Text Messaging Service

Once you have established a SelfServe account you may sign up for the NOBTS emergency text messaging service by going to <http://nobts.edu/NOBTSEmergencyTextMessage.html> .

Selected Bibliography

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Blair, Christine Eaton. *The Art of Teaching the Bible: A Practical Guide for Adults*. Louisville, KY: Geneva Press, 2001.

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- Freeman, Craig S. *So You Have Been Called to Teach in the Sunday School*. Baltimore: Publish America, 2005.
- Galindo, Israel. *The Craft of Christian Teaching: Essentials for Becoming a Very Good Teacher*. Valley Forge, PA: Judson Press, 1998.
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- Habermas, Ronald T. *Teaching for Reconciliation: Foundations and Practice of Christian Educational Ministry*, rev. ed. Eugene, OR: Wipf and Stock, 2001.
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- Johnston, Jay, and Ronald K. Brown. *Teaching the Jesus Way: Building a Transformational Teaching Ministry*. Nashville, TN: LifeWay Press, 2000.
- Knight, George R. *Philosophy & Education: An Introduction in Christian Perspective*, 3rd ed. Berrien Springs, MI: Andrews University Press, 1998.
- Lambert, Dan. *Teaching That Makes a Difference: How to Teach for Holistic Impact*. Grand Rapids, MI: Zondervan, 2004.
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Schultz, Thom, and Joani Schultz. *The Dirt on Learning: Groundbreaking Tools to Grow Faith in Your Church*. Loveland, CO: Group Publishing, 1999.

_____. *Why Nobody Learns Much of Anything at Church: And How to Fix It*. Loveland, CO: Group Publishing, 1996.

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Zuck, Roy B. *Teaching as Jesus Taught*. Grand Rapids, MI: Baker Books, 1995.

*The professor reserves the right to make changes to the schedule as needed.

**You are responsible for all assigned readings. All readings may not be covered in class.

Student Services

This is a partial list of NOBTS student services available to all students, no matter your delivery system or location. If you have questions or do not see what you need here, please refer to www.nobts.edu/student-services, email us at studentservices@nobts.edu, or call the Dean of Students office at 800.662.8701, ext. 3283. We are glad to assist you!

Need	Email	Phone	Web Page
Advising – Graduate Program	studentservices@nobts.edu	504.282.4455 x3312	www.nobts.edu/registrar/default.html#advising
Advising – Undergraduate Program	lcadminasst@nobts.edu	504.816.8590	www.nobts.edu/LeavellCollege
Church Minister Relations (for ministry jobs)	cmr@nobts.edu	504.282.4455 x3291	www.nobts.edu/CMR
Financial Aid	financialaid@nobts.edu	504.282.4455 x3348	www.nobts.edu/financialaid
PREP (help to avoid student debt)	Prepassistant1@nobts.edu	504.816.8091	www.nobts.edu/prep
Gatekeeper NOBTS news	pr@nobts.edu	504.816.8003	nobtsgatekeeper.wordpress.com
Information Technology Center	itcsupport@nobts.edu	504.816.8180	selfserve.nobts.edu
Help with Blackboard	blackboardhelpdesk@nobts.edu	504.816.8180	nobts.blackboard.com
Library	library@nobts.edu	504.816.8018	www.nobts.edu/Library
Online library resources	library@nobts.edu	504.816.8018	http://www.nobts.edu/research-links/default.html
Writing and Turabian style help	library@nobts.edu	504.816.8018	http://www.nobts.edu/writing/default.html
Guest Housing (Providence Guest House)	ph@nobts.edu	504.282.4455 x4455	www.provhouse.com
Student Counseling	lmccc@nobts.edu	504.816.8004	www.nobts.edu/student-services/counseling-services.html
Women's Programs	womensacademic@nobts.edu	504.282.4455 x3334	www.nobts.edu/women

For additional library resources in your state, check <http://www.nobts.edu/library/interlibrary-loan.html>

- GALILEO for Georgia students
- LALINC for Louisiana students
- Florida Virtual Library (<http://www.flelibrary.org/>) for Florida students
- Interact with us online at –



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Student Learning Outcomes:

In order to serve churches effectively through Christian Education, by the end of the course, you should:

1. Be able to apply your knowledge and comprehension of various teaching and learning principles with the biblical model of instruction as exemplified by Jesus Himself to provide a foundation for the practice of Christian education in the church.
2. Value the use of various methodologies to teach the Bible in the local church ministry and value the role of the Holy Spirit in planning, development, and delivery of teaching plans.
3. Be able to develop, implement, and evaluate biblical teaching for the practice of Christian education in the local church.

Assignment Description:

You will conduct a Bible teaching session during the course. The Bible teaching sessions conducted in class or **MUST BE RECORDED**, from start to finish, including room set-up, organization of supplies, rehearsal of media technology, etc. Also, you must provide a copy of the Bible Teaching Evaluation Tool to various participants in the Bible teaching session to complete after the teaching session has been conducted. **A minimum of 5 participants is required**, but preferably all participants have an opportunity to provide feedback. You will review the participant feedback on the assessment tool and write a **2 to 3-page reflection** of the teaching session including areas of the teaching session strengths/weaknesses and possible improvements.

DOMAIN	LEVEL	Inadequate (1 PT)	BASIC (2PTS)	COMPETENT (3 PTS)	GOOD (4 PTS)	EXCELLENT (5 PTS)
UNDERSTANDING	Able to understand various teaching and learning principles with the biblical model of instruction to provide a foundation for the practice of Christian education.					
APPLICATION	Able to develop, implement, and evaluate biblical teaching for the practice of Christian education.					
COMMUNICATION	Able to communicate various methodologies used to teach the value the role of the Holy Spirit in planning, development, and delivery of teaching plans.					

Instructor: _____

Semester: _____ Format: _____

Notes and Comments:

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Course Schedule – January 23-May 7

Teaching Units	Course Topics	Assignments Due
<p>Course begins on January 23, 2016</p> <p>Introduction January 23 - 29</p> <p>Due: January 29 by 11:59pm</p>	<p>Course introduction; Syllabus</p> <p>Learning Experiences</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Review Course Syllabus. 2. Complete Discussion Board 1: Write a short autobiography of <i>yourself as a learner</i> (200-300 words). Include reflections on teachers or peers who supported you, your accomplishments, and turning points or times when you showed resilience and determination to learn.
<p>Unit 1 Jan. 30 – Feb. 5</p> <p>Due: Feb. 5 by 11:59pm</p>	<p>Review of Learning Theory</p> <p>Learner Motivation</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read Unit 1 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapters 6-7 from <i>Teaching that Transforms</i>. 3. Read Chapters 6-7 & 14-15 from <i>Creative Bible Teaching</i>. 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
<p>Unit 2 Feb. 6 – 12</p> <p>Due: Feb. 12 by 11:59pm</p>	<p>Review of Learning Objectives</p> <p>Instructional Learning Theory</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read Unit 2 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapters 8 & 11 from <i>Creative Bible Teaching</i>. 3. Read Appendix G from <i>Teaching that Transforms</i>. 4. Read pp.233-237 from <i>Teaching for Results</i>. 5. Read Chapters 1-3 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i>. 6. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
<p>Unit 3 Feb. 13 – 19</p> <p>Due: Feb. 19 by 11:59pm</p>	<p>Review of Teaching Methods</p> <p>Teaching Evaluation and Teacher Skill Improvement</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read Unit 3 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapters 13, 19, & 20 from <i>Creative Bible Teaching</i>. 3. Read Chapters 1-3 from <i>Teaching for Results</i>. 4. Upload the Teaching Methods Handouts using the assignment link for professor grading. 5. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
<p>Unit 4 Feb. 20 – 26</p> <p>Due: Feb. 26 by 11:59pm</p>	<p>Review of Lesson Aims</p> <p>Drama: A Teaching Method</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read Unit 4 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapters 4-5 from <i>Teaching for Results</i>. 3. Read Chapter 4 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i>. 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
<p>Unit 5 Feb. 27 – Mar. 5</p> <p>Due: Mar. 5 by 11:59pm</p>	<p>Bible Teaching Evaluation</p>	<ol style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read Unit 5 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapter 6 from <i>Teaching for Results</i>. 3. Read Chapter 5 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i>. 4. Upload the Teaching Evaluation Tool Rationale using the assignment link for professor grading. 5. Submit Mentor Meeting Report

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Unit 6 Mar. 6 - 12 Due: Mar. 12 by 11:59pm	Making the Bible Lesson Personal	1. Read Unit 6 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapters 7-8 from <i>Teaching for Results</i> . 3. Read Chapter 6 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i> . 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report 5. Upload the Bible Teaching Observation and Assessment using the assignment link for professor grading.
Unit 7 Mar. 13 – 19 Due: Mar. 19 by 11:59pm	The Focus of the Lesson Plan	1. Read Unit 7 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapters 9-10 from <i>Teaching for Results</i> . 3. Read Chapter 7 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i> . 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
Unit 8 Mar. 20 – 26 Due: Mar. 26 by 11:59pm	Teaching for Knowledge Aim	1. Read Unit 8 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapters 11-13 from <i>Teaching for Results</i> . 3. Read Chapters 8 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i> . 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report 5. Upload the Video of your Bible Teaching Session 1 to the Discussion Board 2 6. ALL students should view the videos of their classmates teaching the Bible. Self-examination is an important skill for teachers, but so is peer-analysis. After viewing each teaching video, provide your classmate with a critical analysis of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the teaching session. Be specific – teacher preparedness, method usage, learner engagement, etc. Post a critical analysis for each teaching session. Use the Bible Teaching Evaluation Tool as guide to give feedback to classmates. Post the rating and comments on the Discussion Board 2.
Unit 9 Mar. 27 – April 2 Due: April 2 by 11:59pm	Using Discussion to Teach	1. Read Unit 9 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapter 14 from <i>Teaching for Results</i> . 3. Read Chapter 9 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i> . 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
Unit 10 April 3 – 9 Due: April 9 by 11:59pm	Peer Analysis of Teaching	1. Read Unit 10 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapter 15 from <i>Teaching for Results</i> . 3. Read Chapter 10 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i> . 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
Unit 11 April 10 – 16 Due: April 16 by 11:59pm	Using Creative Writing to Teach the Bible	1. Read Unit 11 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapter 16 from <i>Teaching for Results</i> . 3. Read Chapter 11 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i> . 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
Unit 12 April 17 – 23 Due: April 23 by 11:59pm	Improving as a Teacher and Peer Analysis of Teaching	1. Read Unit 12 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapter 17 from <i>Teaching for Results</i> . 3. Read Chapter 12 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i> . 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report
Unit 13	Using Art to Teach the Bible	1. Read Unit 13 content on Blackboard

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<p data-bbox="201 201 367 231">April 24 – 30</p> <p data-bbox="201 300 375 363">Due: April 30 by 11:59pm</p>		<ol data-bbox="846 201 1516 730" style="list-style-type: none"> 2. Read Chapter 18 from <i>Teaching for Results</i>. 3. Read Chapter 13 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i>. 4. Submit Mentor Meeting Report 5. Upload the Video of your Bible Teaching Session 2 to the Discussion Board 3 6. ALL students should view the videos of their classmates teaching the Bible. Self-examination is an important skill for teachers, but so is peer-analysis. After viewing each teaching video, provide your classmate with a critical analysis of the effectiveness or ineffectiveness of the teaching session. Be specific – teacher preparedness, method usage, learner engagement, etc. Post a critical analysis for each teaching session. Use the Bible Teaching Evaluation Tool as guide to give feedback to classmates. Post the rating and comments on the Discussion Board 3.
<p data-bbox="201 774 321 837">Unit 14 May 1 - 7</p> <p data-bbox="201 873 350 936">Due: May 7 by 11:59pm</p>	<p data-bbox="451 774 818 869">Technological Advancement and Its Impact on the Teaching-Learning Experience</p>	<ol data-bbox="846 774 1507 900" style="list-style-type: none"> 1. Read Unit 14 content on Blackboard 2. Read Chapter 14 from <i>Creative Teaching Methods</i>. 3. Submit Final Mentor Meeting Report 4. Complete Reading Verification via Blackboard.